H. R. 58

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

January 4, 2007

Mrs. Christensen introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Natural Resources

A BILL

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- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
- 3 SECTION 1. AUTHORIZATION FOR LOCAL GOVERNMENTS
- 4 IN VIRGIN ISLANDS.
- 5 Section 8 of the Revised Organic Act of the Virgin
- 6 Islands (48 U.S.C. 1574) is amended by adding after sub-
- 7 section (c) the following new subsection:

- 1 "(d) Notwithstanding section 16(a) or any other pro-
- 2 vision of law, the Legislature of the Virgin Islands may
- 3 create units of local government in the Virgin Islands.".

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